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Office of Special Nutritionals
Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition
Food and Drug Administration
200 "C" St. S.W. (HFS-450)
Washington, D.C. 20204



Dear Dr. Kahl:

Nature's Way Products, Inc. wishes to notify the Food and Drug Administration that it has commenced marketing a dietary supplement which bears a statement under Section(r)(6) of the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act.

The dietary supplements for which the statement is made are Echinacea Herb, Echinacea with Ester-C®, Echinacea with Goldenseal Root, Echinacea Astragalus & Reishi, Echinacea Root Complex, EchinaGuard®, Echinacea Complex Extract Fast Active, Echinacea with Golden Seal Root Extract Fast Active and Echinacea Herb Extract Fast Active. The dietary ingredient that is the subject of the statement is Echinacea. The statement reads as follows:

"Supports the Immune System."

This statement is accompanied by the required disclaimer which is prominently displayed in bold-faced type.

The information contained in this notice is complete and accurate and the above statement is based on data which renders these statements substantiated, truthful and non-misleading.

Sincerely,

NATURE'S WAY PRODUCTS, INC.

Gordon M. Walker Legal Counsel

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